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Searcher

Initials

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FILE NUMBER  SERIAL

Phil FO

8-481-8011

2-4-83 called

Philadelphia some dates

Phil sent 2-4-83 to 101.

Phil sent AT + LHM

and 2-9-83 to FBIHQ

on 3/8 call Phil again

AT + LHM.

2/3/11 Ascendant Rev 6

has been holding AT + LHM

and it was sent to

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## TRANSMIT VIA:

☐ Teletype☐ Facsimile☒ Airtel

## PRECEDENCE:

☐ Immediate☐ Priority☐ Routine

## CLASSIFICATION:

☐ TOP SECRET☐ SECRET☐ CONFIDENTIAL☐ UNCLAS E F T O☐ UNCLAS

Date 2/18/83

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (174C-1675) (SQ.12) (P)

SUBJECT:  2 b7C  
EID-BOMB THREAT  
OO:PHILADELPHIA

Re Philadelphia airtel to the Bureau captioned  
 "Information Concerning  and  
 enclosed LHM captioned as above, dated 2/9/83

U.S. Department of State (USDS),  
 Philadelphia, PA provided a copy of the following USDS cable  
 received from USDS Headquarters:

"The following telegram has been received from the  
 RSO/Tokyo:

"1. Embassy Duty Officer reported that, beginning on  
 1/22/83, a  Philadelphia, PA, phone   
 began calling the Ambassador's office requesting that  
 the Ambassador assist him in obtaining a Japanese wife.  b7C  
 has since called the Embassy several times and has  
 threatened to start sending bombs through the mail to the Embassy,  
 if the Embassy does not assist him with this matter.

"2. Please check your files and sources concerning

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- ③ - Bureau  
 1 - TRAC  
 3 - Philadelphia (174C-1675) (SQ.12) (P)  
 1 - 89-36530  
 TPK:MAK

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Per \_\_\_\_\_

MAY 25 1983

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PH 174C-1675

Philadelphia notes that the correct spelling of subject's name is [redacted]

This threat has been reported to U.S. Secret Service (USSS), Philadelphia, PA, which is familiar with [redacted]

Philadelphia indices contain numerous references to [redacted]. A summary of this information has been forwarded to the Bureau by referenced Philadelphia airtel and LHM (under PH file [redacted]). Subject has a history of mental problems and he is known to both FBI and USSS, Philadelphia for [redacted]. Arrested by USSS in [redacted] in [redacted] for [redacted]. [redacted] was never prosecuted. He was judged mentally incompetent to stand trial.

USSS, Philadelphia has dealt with [redacted] on several occasions within recent months. He is not on the USSS's QI list. Though he has made numerous threats against public figures in the past, he has yet to follow through on his threats.

USSS, Philadelphia believes that [redacted] was recently committed to the Veterans Administration Hospital, Coatesville, PA for psychiatric treatment.

Philadelphia is currently updating its background information on [redacted]

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

The Bureau is requested to search its indices on [redacted] [redacted] date of birth. [redacted] FBI Number [redacted]

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
COMMUNICATION MESSAGE FORM

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3/16/83

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FM DIRECTOR FBI

TO FBI PHILADELPHIA {174C-1675} ROUTINE

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[REDACTED] EID - BOMB THREAT; 00: PHILADELPHIA

RE PHILADELPHIA AIRTEL TO THE BUREAU, FEBRUARY 18, 1983.

FBIHQ INDICES NEGATIVE ON [REDACTED]

DATE OF BIRTH [REDACTED]

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TO FBI PHILADELPHIA {174C-1675} ROUTINE

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[REDACTED] EID - BOMB THREAT; 00: PHILADELPHIA

RE PHILADELPHIA AIRTEL TO THE BUREAU, MARCH 16, 1983.

ON MARCH 22, 1983, THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE ADVISED THAT THIS MATTER SHOULD BE PRESENTED TO THE LOCAL UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE FOR A PROSECUTIVE OPINION.

PHILADELPHIA HANDLE AND FURNISH FBIHQ WITH RESULTS OF CONTACT.

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1 - MR. RHODES

1 - FIELD GUIDANCE FOLDER

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ON 3/22/83,  U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
CONTACTED 3/21/83, AND FURNISHED OPINION AS STATED ABOVE  
3/22/83.

## TRANSMIT VIA:

☐ Teletype  
☐ Facsimile  
☒ Airtel

## PRECEDENCE:

☐ Immediate  
☐ Priority  
☐ Routine

## CLASSIFICATION:

TOP SECRET  
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Date 3/16/83

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (174C-1675) (SQ12) (C)

SUBJECT:   
 EID - BOMB THREAT  
 (OO: PHILADELPHIA)

Re Philadelphia airtel to the Bureau dated 2/18/83,  
 captioned as above.

Enclosed for the Bureau are an original and nine  
 copies (10) copies of an LHM entitled   
 Also enclosed for the Bureau are the original and one copy of  
 an FD-376 transmittal letter.

Sent 1 State + USSR

Referenced Philadelphia airtel advised that U. S.  
 Department of State (USDS), Philadelphia, Pa., reported that  
 of Philadelphia had threatened the United  
 States Embassy in Tokyo, Japan. USDS was afraid that   
 might do something violent if the U. S. Ambassador to Japan  
 could not meet  demand for a wife.

- 6 - Bureau (Encs. 12) (RM)  
     (1 - TRAC) (RM)  
     (2 - Legat, Tokyo) (RM)  
     (1 - Liaison) (RM)  
 2 - Philadelphia (1 - 174C-1675) (SQ12)  
     (1 - 89 -365)

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(8) 1cc LHM  DOJ 3-21-83  
 2cc LHM Legat Tokyo 3-22-83  
 1 DOJ  
 1 ATF

MAR 18 1983

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Contact with U. S. Secret Service (USSS), Philadelphia, Pa., revealed that [redacted] is well-known to that agency. [redacted] has a record of [redacted]

[redacted] He has been arrested by U.S.S.S. in [redacted] for [redacted]

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[redacted] He was later found to be mentally incompetent to stand trial in U. S. Federal Court. U.S.S.S. records are replete with occurrences indicating irrational actions on [redacted] part. He has received psychiatric therapy at numerous times since [redacted]

Despite [redacted] having been arrested numerous times by local authorities for a variety of charges, he has no record in Pennsylvania State Police computerized master files or NCIC. Within the past month alone, he has been arrested twice for local offences and immediately taken to mental health facilities for treatment. On a third occasion he was arrested in Chester County, Pa., and released several days later.

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[redacted] was telephonically interviewed on [redacted] while he was involuntarily confined to Norristown, Pa., State Hospital. He admitted calling the Embassy in Tokyo and telling them to find him a wife. He insisted that he never intended to hurt anyone. He appeared to be pleasant but completely out of touch with reality while being interviewed. He asked the interviewing agent to help him become an FBI Agent because he could learn to shoot a gun and he is good with his fists. He insisted that he will not hurt anyone whom he has threatened.

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Personnel at the rental office, [redacted] Philadelphia, Pa., appeared quite annoyed by [redacted] He was evicted in late January, [redacted] because of his odd behavior and due to [redacted]

[redacted] has cooperated with Philadelphia in its investigation. [redacted] insists that [redacted] is a ne'er-do-well who has no personal pride and motivation. [redacted] apparently graduated from college but later developed mental [redacted] problems.

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[ ] believes that [ ] made outrageous threats so that he will be arrested and confined. [ ] believes that [ ] should be committed to an institution since he cannot manage for himself. [ ] gave no indication that [ ] would ever follow through on a threat.

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On 2/25/83, SA [ ] U.S.S.S., Philadelphia, Pa., advised that U.S.S.S. has closed its most recent investigation of [ ]

Copies of the enclosed LHM are provided to the Bureau for dissemination to U.S.S.S. and U.S.D.S. Headquarters in Washington, D. C. Copies are also provided for the information of Legat, Tokyo.

Philadelphia will provide information copies of the enclosed LHM to U.S.S.S., Philadelphia, Pa.; U. S. Attorney, Eastern District of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa.; and the Philadelphia Police Department, Philadelphia, Pa.

UACB, Philadelphia anticipates no further investigation of [ ] on the grounds that he does not appear to pose a legitimate threat to the U. S. Embassy, Tokyo, and due to his record of chronic mental difficulties.

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[redacted] in the enclosed LHM is [redacted] (protect),  
[redacted] Philadelphia, Pa.

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☐ SECRET  
☐ CONFIDENTIAL  
☐ UNCLAS E F T O  
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Date 4/15/83

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
 FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (174C-1675) (SQ12) (C)  
 SUBJECT:  b7C  
EID-BOMB THREAT  
OO: PHILADELPHIA

Re Philadelphia airtel and enclosed LHM dated 3/16/83.

Enclosed for the Bureau are eight (8) copies of an LHM entitled

Bureau interest in  was generated following a phone call which he made in January, 1983, to the U.S. Embassy in Tokyo, Japan. Results of investigation conducted by Philadelphia were forwarded via referenced Philadelphia airtel and LHM. Per referenced Bureau teletype, this matter was reopened in order that a U.S. Attorney's opinion could be obtained. b7C

On 3/25/83,  advised that  had recently returned from Europe and was arrested by police in Delaware County, Pa. Following his arrest,  was committed to Sacred Heart Hospital, Chester, Pa.

- ⑥ - Bureau (Encl 8) **ENCLOSURE**  
 (1 - TRAC)  
 (1 - Liaison)  
 (2 - Legat, Tokyo)  
 2 - Philadelphia  
 1 - 174C-1675 (SQ12)  
 1 - 89-365

TPK/lcw  
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2-cc Airtel and LHM to Tokay 4-20-83

LHM to USSS, ATF, DOJ 4-20-83

1-cc Airtel to TRAC 4-20-83  
 1-cc Airtel to Liaison 4-20-83

Approved: JLH/lcw

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(Time)

Per \_\_\_\_\_

On 3/25/83, AUSA James Becker, U.S. Attorney's Office, Eastern District of Pennsylvania (EDPA), was provided with the background in this matter. AUSA Becker opined that investigation should be directed toward determining [ ] status - both judicially and medically - following his local arrest. b7C

The enclosed LHM summarizes investigation conducted by Philadelphia. Most of the information provided in the LHM was furnished through a confidential source at Sacred Heart Hospital. Additionally, information was provided by Haverford State Hospital.

[ ] U.S. Secret Service (USSS), Philadelphia, advised on [ ] that [ ] had called USSS from [ ] on [ ] and [ ] Federal Republic of German on [ ] [ ] had apparently run out of money in Europe and he wanted USSS to vouch for him. He also wanted USSS to arrange for his mother to send him money. b7C b7D

On 4/13/83, personnel at Sacred Heart Hospital, Chester, Pa., advised that [ ] is under the care of a doctor on the Sacred Heart Hospital staff. At some point in the future, [ ] doctor will determine if [ ] is fit for release from the hospital. If his doctor feels that [ ] is not healthy enough to be released, then he will be sent to Haverford State Hospital. b7C

On 4/14/83, AUSA Becker opined that, since [ ] is currently receiving professional treatment, it would be appropriate for Philadelphia to close its investigation into [ ] bomb threat against the U.S. Embassy in Tokyo. b7C

Copies of the enclosed LHM are provided so that the Bureau may disseminate them to the Department of Justice and other appropriate agencies. The Bureau is requested to forward two copies of this airtel and enclosed LHM to Legat, Tokyo.

UACB, Philadelphia will conduct no further investigation in this matter and considers it closed.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

Pa. [ ] is employed by Sacred Heart Hospital, Chester,

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[ ] is [ ] U.S. Secret Service,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

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U.S. Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

April 15, 1983

[REDACTED]

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Reference: Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI)  
memorandum dated March 16, 1983.

Confidential source [REDACTED] advised as follows on  
March 28, 1983:

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On [REDACTED] [REDACTED] was brought  
to Sacred Heart Hospital (SHH), Chester, Pa., by the Springfield  
Police Department. That department had arrested [REDACTED]  
for creating a disturbance in a shopping mall. He was confined  
at SHH until [REDACTED] when he was committed involuntarily  
under Section 302 of the Pennsylvania Mental Health Act. On  
[REDACTED] he was admitted to the hospital for a 20 day  
period by a court appointed mental health review officer.

On [REDACTED] confidential source [REDACTED] who  
is [REDACTED] with the U.S. Secret Service (USSS),  
Philadelphia, advised that [REDACTED] had called USSS from  
Europe on two occasions shortly before [REDACTED] On  
[REDACTED] [REDACTED] telephonically contacted USSS,  
Philadelphia, from [REDACTED] On [REDACTED] [REDACTED]  
called again from [REDACTED] Federal Republic of Germany. On  
the latter occasion, [REDACTED] asked USSS, Philadelphia, to  
arrange for his mother to send him money. [REDACTED] also  
wanted someone at USSS to vouch for him over the phone to the  
West German authorities.

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On [REDACTED] [REDACTED] verified that [REDACTED]  
is indefinitely committed at SHH. [REDACTED] is under the care  
of a [REDACTED] [REDACTED] physician will be making a  
determination within a few weeks as to whether [REDACTED] is  
healthy enough to leave SHH. If [REDACTED] doctor deems it  
appropriate, however, [REDACTED] will be transferred from SHH  
to Haverford State Hospital.

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This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions  
of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to  
your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed  
outside your agency.

[REDACTED]

On April 14, 1983, Assistant U.S. Attorney (AUSA) James Becker, Eastern District of Pennsylvania, was presented the facts surrounding [REDACTED] threat against the U.S. Embassy, Tokyo. AUSA Becker advised that, since [REDACTED] is currently under the care of a physician who will be in a position to evaluate [REDACTED] health, it would be appropriate for the Philadelphia Division of the FBI to discontinue its investigation into the specific matter of [REDACTED] bomb threat against the American Embassy in Japan.

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